



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Takahiko Yamasaki, et al.
App. No. : 10/800,061
Filed : March 12, 2004
Title : HIGH FREQUENCY HEATING APPARATUS WITH STEAM GENERATOR

Conf. No. : 8441
TC/A.U. : 3742
Examiner : Philip H. Leung

Customer No. : 000,116
Docket No. : 36549

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Commissioner for Patents
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**AMENDMENT "C" FILED WITH
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Sir:

This amendment is filed in response to the Final Office Action dated August 19, 2005 (Paper No. 50817) and the Advisory Action dated November 30, 2005. The three-month period for responding to the Office Action expired on November 19, 2005. Accordingly, Applicant respectfully request and petition that the response date be extended for two months, up to and including, January 19, 2006. This amendment is being filed with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$1,240.00 for the extension of time fee (\$450.00) and RCE fee (\$790.00).

Please amend the above-identified application in the following manner.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date indicated below.

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